

Wilmington, Delaware
April 16, 2009

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WHEREAS, by its Ordinance No. 97-051, amending Section 2-363 of the City Code, the Council deemed it necessary and proper to specify the requirements for review and approval of City-sponsored grant applications and proposals, including a requirement for Council approval by resolution and including authorization for expedited grant applications when necessary, prior to Council's resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City, through the Office of Emergency Management, ("the Department"), has sought to obtain grant funding from the Delaware Emergency Management Agency Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Program ("DEMA") in the amount of \$27,366.40 of funding to provide hazardous material planning and training for City operations; and

WHEREAS, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the Wilmington Fire Department to submit the aforesaid application to DEMA for the funds necessary to provide hazardous material planning and training for City operations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON that the Office of Emergency Management is hereby authorized to apply for DEMA grant funds in the amount of \$27,366.40 to provide hazardous material planning and training for City operations.

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director, George B. Giles, or his designee, shall be authorized to take all necessary actions to complete the filing of

the grant application, including all undertakings and assurances taken heretofore, and, if and when the grant is forthcoming, to administer the grant and the grant program for the City of Wilmington.

Passed by City Council
April 16, 2009

ATTEST: Maribel Ruiz
City Clerk

Approved as to form this gt
day of April, 2009

CC
Assistant City Solicitor

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution approves the filing of a grant application by the Office of Emergency Management for DEMA grant funds in the amount of \$27,366.40 to provide hazardous material planning and training for City operations. Matching funds are required in the amount of \$4,594.40 and will come from the local Emergency Management General Fund.